

c1440-1570

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Renaissance in Flanders

1440

1912 Dates J-BK

AMADEUS VIII of Savoy  
abdicated to become a priest

1440

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The first book in Europe was  
printed

1912 Dates J-BK

1440

(1415-1493) FREDERICK III

Holy Roman Emperor (1440-1493). As King of Germany he had the title of Frederick IV. He was elected to succeed Albert II in 1440. His long reign of 53 years was uneventful. From his time the imperial dignity remained permanently in the House of Austria. He was succeeded by his son.  
MAXIMILIAN I.

1440

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NICOLAS of Cusa, a Cardinal  
of the Church wrote: "I have  
long considered that the earth is  
not fixed, but moves as do the  
other stars."

1440

Eton College

Largest and most well-known  
of English public schools  
was founded by King Henry VI  
(1421 - 1471)

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English public schools date from :

Windsor - 1387

Eton - 1440

St. Paul's at London - 1512

founded by John Colet

C1440

Duncan:Cal

ULUGIT BEG gave  
365d 5h 49m 15s

as length 17 yr  
+ 29 s too long



1440

Sahagún

MOCTEZUMA I begins 28-year  
reign in TENOCHTITLAN (Mexico City)